

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>In re application of:</b>	Alex Terry
<b>Docket:</b>	ITC:9905
<b>For:</b>	INTERACTIVE BILLING SYSTEM UTILIZING A THIN WEB CLIENT INTERFACE

**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention referenced above, the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to in this declaration.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint James W. Huffman, Reg. No. 35,549, Richard K. Huffman, Reg. No. 41,082, and Kang S. Lim, Reg. No. 37,491 my attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this application and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and also to file and prosecute any corresponding application in any foreign country; and I hereby request that all correspondence and telephone calls be addressed to:

James W. Huffman  
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

<b>Inventor's Name:</b>	<b>Residence and Post Office Address:</b>	<b>Citizenship:</b>	<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Date:</b>
Alex Terry	Austin, Texas 787	US	_____	_____
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VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS  
(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c))—SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

I hereby declare that I am

- the owner of the small business concern identified below:  
 an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN: ITC CORPORATION

ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN: 555 Fulton Street, Suite 208, San Francisco, CA 94102

I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time, or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described in:

- the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.  
 the application identified above.  
 the patent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate verified statements averring to their status as small entities, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

- Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:  
 no such person, concern, or organization exists.  
 each such person, concern, or organization is listed below.

Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING

Kang S. Lim

TITLE OF PERSON IF OTHER THAN OWNER

Vice President

ADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING

555 Fulton Street  
Suite 208  
San Francisco, CA 94102

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

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**Alex Terry**Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?  Yes  No

## 2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

**ITC Inc.**  
**555 Fulton Street, Ste 208**  
**San Francisco, CA 94102**



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## A. Patent Application No.(s)

ITC:9905

## B. Patent No.(s)

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## 5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:

**James W. Huffman**  
**106 Morning Cloud**  
**Austin, TX 78734**

6. Total number of applications and patents involved: **1**

## 7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)..... \$40

A check in the amount of \$40 is attached hereto

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*To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.*

**James W. Huffman**

Name of Person Signing

Signature

Date

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, the undersigned inventor (or one of the undersigned joint inventors), of residence as listed, having invented certain new and useful improvements as below entitled, for which application for United States Letters Patent is made, the said application having been executed on even date herewith;

AND WHEREAS, ITC Corporation, together with any successors, legal representatives, or assigns thereof, with its principal office at 555 Fulton Street, Suite 208, San Francisco, CA 94102, wants to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention(s), and to the said application and any Letters Patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledge, I have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to the said ITC Corporation, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to the said invention and in and to the said application and all patents which may be granted thereon, and all divisions, reissues, substitutions, continuations, and extensions thereof; and I/we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents, and any officials of foreign countries whose duty it is to issue patents on applications, to issue all patents for said invention, or patents resulting therefrom, insofar as my interest in concerned, to the said ITC Corporation as assignee of my entire right, title and interest;

I ALSO HEREBY sell and assign to ITC Corporation, its successors and assigns, my foreign rights to the invention disclosed in said application, in all countries of the world, including the right to file applications and obtain patents under the terms of the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property, and of the European Patent Convention, and further agree to execute any and all patent applications, assignments, affidavits, and any other papers in connection therewith necessary to perfect such patent rights;

AND I HEREBY covenant that I have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned, and that I have not executed, and will not execute, any agreement in conflict herewith;

AND I HEREBY further covenant that I will communicate to said ITC Corporation or to its successors, assigns and legal representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention, and at the expense of said ITC Corporation testify in any legal proceedings, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuation, reissue and substitute applications, make all lawful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid said ITC Corporation its successors, assigns and nominees to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said invention in all countries.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand this day and year:

<b>TITLE OF INVENTION</b>	<b>INTERACTIVE BILLING SYSTEM UTILIZING A THIN WEB CLIENT INTERFACE</b>		
<b>NAME OF INVENTOR</b>	<b>RESIDENCE (City, State)</b>	<b>SIGNATURE</b>	<b>DATE</b>
Alex Terry	Austin, Texas 787	_____	_____

After recording, return Assignment to: ATTN: JAMES W. HUFFMAN  
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